

Society and Clubs

by Betty Shoemaker

Gladiolas Exhibit At Hotel Medford Is Judged Success

The William Warner exhibit of gladiolas which was sponsored by the Medford Garden club Monday at the Hotel Medford was well-attended and a great deal of interest was evinced in the newer varieties. Representatives from all the garden clubs in southern Oregon met at the Medford hotel Monday afternoon, at which time it was decided to bring speakers here from northern points as well as from California. Mrs. E. D. Lamb of Klamath Falls, chairman of the southern Oregon district, announced that the fall district conference of clubs will be held in Ashland late in September. The Illinois Valley club extended an invitation to all Garden club members to attend a picnic at Greyback Camp, at the foot of the Caves, July 25. The Ashland club invited the members of the Medford club and their husbands to join in a potluck supper at Lithia park August 1 at 6:30 p. m. Those who plan to attend are asked to notify Mrs. L. G. Gentner.

Minnie Putman Weds in Alaska

Of interest to many friends in Medford is announcement of the marriage of Miss Minnie Putman, daughter of George Putman, of Eagle Point, to James White July 3 in Anchorage, Alaska. Miss Putman left here the latter part of June for Alaska.

Pythians, Sisters To Picnic Sunday

Knights of Pythias and Pythian Sisters of Grants Pass are sponsoring a picnic in Grants Pass park Sunday for all Knights, Pythian Sisters and their families. Those attending are asked to bring a picnic basket and their own service. Coffee and cold drinks will be furnished by the Knights of the Grants Pass lodge. Lunch will be served at 1 p. m.

Junior Band To Picnic Thursday

Members of the Junior Accordion Prentice band will hold their annual picnic at Jackson Hot Springs tomorrow at 12:45 p. m. Those desiring transportation are asked to call 2897. Games and other entertainment have been arranged.

INDIGESTION

may affect the heart. Gas trapped in the stomach or gut may act like a ball-bearing on the heart. At the first sign of distress, when you feel a heavy, lumpy, or burning sensation in the chest, take a few drops of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. If the heart is not relieved, a doctor should be consulted.

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Girl Scouts Hold Picnic

Girl Scouts of Troop No. 6 of Lincoln school enjoyed a picnic at Jackson Hot Springs yesterday. Baseball, swimming and relay games followed the picnic luncheon. The troop met at the home of the troop leader, Mrs. Verna Thatcher, 632 1/2 North Central avenue, and transportation was provided by Mrs. Thatcher, Mrs. S. F. Long and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Glascock.

Attending were Shirley Morrow, Rosalie Glascock, Maxine Powell, Bette Ann Shaw, Janet Shaw, Margaret Bismark, Ellen Howard, Alice Howard, Virginia Long, Mary Ann Long, Mrs. Jennie Howard, Mrs. S. F. Long and the troop leader, Mrs. Thatcher.

Mrs. Cadwallader Entertains Club

Mrs. Brica Cadwallader entertained the Past President's club of the Degree of Honor lodge at her home on Benson street last week. The business meeting was in charge of Mrs. Katherine Smith. Mrs. Mayme Siler, who returned recently from Oklahoma, told of her trip.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Hattie Bradshaw, Mrs. Smith, Miss Adabee Siler, Mrs. Mae Denman, Ashland; Mrs. Siler, Mrs. Matilda Dietrich. Mrs. Denman will be hostess to the club at the Lithia park in Ashland, August 5.

Mrs. Savage Visits Sister

Houseguests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Newbury, 7 Eastwood drive, are Mrs. Newbury's sister, Mrs. Harold Savage and son Harold Savage, Jr., of Phoenix, Ariz., who are enjoying a 10-day visit in this city. Mrs. Savage and son motored to Medford and are planning to leave Sunday for Portland where they will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dellzell. Mrs. Savage is well known locally having visited here on numerous occasions and formerly resided in Klamath Falls.

Sunday School Class Plans Picnic Supper

C. A. Meeker's Sunday school class of the First Methodist church will hold a picnic supper on the lawn of Meeker's home, 724 East Jackson boulevard, Friday at 7 p. m. Those attending are asked to bring their own table service. For further information class members may contact Mrs. L. S. Bittle, 3872.

Sewing Club To Meet At Tingley Home

D. A. V. Sewing club will meet tomorrow with Mrs. Clara Tingley, 726 Newtown street, from 10 a. m. until 4 p. m. Potluck luncheon will be served at noon.

CALENDAR

Wednesday
8:00 p. m.—R. N. A. lodge ice cream social at Jacksonville, old courthouse lawn.
Thursday
12:30 p. m.—Alpha Delta class of First Christian church, home Mrs. A. W. Denney, Oakgrove.
2:00 p. m.—Women's Relief corps at armory.
6:30 p. m.—R.N.A. outing, Jackson Hot Springs.
6:30 p. m.—B. P. W. picnic at Helman Baths.

Business Women To Hold Outing

An outing at Helman Baths will be enjoyed Thursday by Medford Business and Professional Women. The picnic is scheduled to begin at 6:30 p. m. and those desiring transportation are asked to contact Jean Watson, 3482. Members attending are requested to bring their own service.

JAPAN'S INDUSTRY SLOWLY DECLINING

Washington, July 16.—(AP)—The commerce department said today available statistics indicated that Japanese industry "is slowly deteriorating under the continual strain of the struggle in China."

"Factors responsible for the volume decline in output of Japan's industry during the year were reported as shortages of skilled labor, materials, fuel and electricity," a press release said. Heavy industries, the statement added, were handicapped mostly by lack of materials, while consumer goods industries were affected by loss of foreign markets and restrictions on sales at home.

Decreased production was indicated particularly for cotton, silk, and rayon textiles, cement, ammonia sulphate, paper and sugar.

Output of wheat flour increased slightly last year and mining also gained.

TRUCK SPEEDER GIVEN \$5 FINE

Clarence C. Cartwright, charged with speeding a truck 50 miles per hour on the Pacific Highway, when the legal limit is 35 miles, was fined \$5 and costs in justice court yesterday. Ernest W. Beers was assessed \$1 and costs for having no tail light on his auto, and Charles L. Kinney the same for failure to stop at a highway intersection.

Navy Base Planned

Coquille, Ore., July 16.—(AP)—Naval officers signed a lease on Coos county land yesterday, indicating that a small craft naval base may be constructed at Empire.



HAIL—These hail stones, big as eggs, fell during a 20-minute bombardment of Pueblo, Mrs. Marion Currence (above) gathered pans full, the better to make iced drinks.

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MORMON CRICKETS AGAIN BOW BEFORE DEATH FROM SKIES

Heavy Toll Taken by Planes Spreading Poison On Warm Spgs. Reservation

By Gordon G. MacNab

Warm Springs Indian Agency, Ore., July 16.—(AP)—Death rides in the sky for mormon crickets as it did nearly a century ago. On the broad reaches of this Indian reservation on the eastern slopes of Oregon's Cascade mountains, man-made birds have been clearing this enemy of man's food from the hills and valleys.

This aerial counter-attack, the Federal Bureau of Entomology and plant quarantine believes, may rid western farmers of one of their most persistent pests.

Gulls Saved Day

In 1848 the followers of Brigham Young saw their Salt Lake valley invaded by hordes of crickets that devoured all vegetation in their paths. Suddenly, soaring in from the west, came squadrons of seagulls, lured by an instinct that the settlers knew was born of their prayers. The crawling invaders were devoured and the fields were saved.

Meeting this year's invasion, two birds with deep throated roar sifted to the crawling ground a poison that spells death as surely as did the sky-filling thousands of gulls. Day after day these airplanes have been winging over the reservation, baiting more than a thousand acres a day with sodium fluosulfate mixed with bran, sawdust and water.

The crickets that devoured vast areas of wheat and stripped from range land the grass on which the west's cattle and sheep subsist are being halted by this sky-born control.

100 Miles in Month

Two years ago on this ground, mormon crickets covered 100 square miles in a month, cutting a path 27 miles wide. One horde branched off into the green wheat fields of Sherman county and became a tumbling, irresistible river of death a mile wide, sweeping inexorably onward.

Four years ago they inched down on Sundance, Wyo., blanketing that town of 500 persons at the foot of the Black Hills until there seemed not a foot of uncovered ground. Forced onward by those behind, they covered the streets and sidewalks, invaded houses and left the town denuded of every blade of vegetation.

In 1938 at Kennewick, Wash., guards with brooms were posted on the Snake River bridge to sweep the invaders from Walla Walla county.

Span Rivers

The crickets in their attack on the west, have poured into irrigation ditches and floated in-

to canals branching into widely scattered fields; they have spanned rivers to invade fields of grain; they have moved over hills and across semi-arid country into rich land beyond.

For the past 10 years Mormon crickets have fought each summer on a front stretching at times from South Dakota and Nebraska westward a thousand miles to the Cascades.

Control started as a haphazard, trial-and-error battle. Throughout the western states trenches were dug to catch the crickets.

Gradually, thousands of farmers and workers employed by the federal bureau of entomology and plant quarantine, reduced the infestation east of the Rocky mountains.

This year, although control work is being carried on in South Dakota, Nebraska, Wyoming, Utah, Nevada, Idaho, Washington and Oregon, the crickets have threatened crops seriously only in parts of Nevada, Idaho and Oregon.

The airplane attack in Oregon is a new approach to the problem and B. M. Gaddis, in charge of domestic plant quarantines, reports that the speed and thoroughness with which the ground is baited, promises success.

OREGON AFL PROTESTS CHOICE OF SWEETLAND

Portland, Ore., July 16.—(AP)—The appointment of Monroe Sweetland, secretary of the Oregon Commonwealth Federation, to the office of production management labor division was protested yesterday by the Oregon AFL.

Sweetland has no industrial or labor union experience and has been a "bitter partisan against the AFL", D. E. Nickerson, state AFL secretary, charged in a letter to Sidney Hillman, OPM labor head.

Japan Has Quake

Tokyo, July 16.—(AP)—Five persons were killed and many others injured during an earthquake late last night in Nagano prefecture. Thirty houses collapsed and more than 100 others were damaged. After-shocks continued throughout the night.

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LIVESTOCK

Portland
Portland, Ore., July 16.—(AP)—(USDA)—Hogs 550; market active, mostly steady strong; early top 10 higher; good-choice 175-215 lb. drive-ins most \$12.00; few lots to \$12.10; one very outstanding lot \$12.25; 230-270 lb. weights \$11.25-50; light lights mostly \$11.00-25; packing sows \$9.00-75; good-choice around 70-90 lb. feeder pigs \$12.00-14.00; heavier weight downward to \$11.50.
Cattle 150; calves '65; market active; vealers 50c higher than early Tuesday; good fed steers lacking; few medium grades \$10.00; load weights grass steers \$9.50 sorted; light fed heifers \$10.40; grass heifers mostly \$8.25-9.25; common dairy heifers down to \$7.25; canner cutter cows \$5.25-6.25; fat dairy cows \$6.50-75; heavy holsteins to \$7.00; grass-fat beef cows \$7.50; young cows to

\$6.50; medium-good bulls \$6.50-9.50; strictly good beef bulls to \$9.75; good-choice vealers \$12.00-13.00; common down to \$6.00; cults down to \$6.00.
Sheep 450; market active, steady to strong; good-choice spring lambs mostly \$29.25; few \$28.50; feeder lambs salable \$25-30; or above; fat ewes \$4.00 down; few breeding ewes \$3.25-4.50.

South San Francisco

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Chicago

Chicago, July 16.—(AP)—(USDA)—Hogs 17,000; active on weights 270 lbs. down, 10-20 higher than Tuesday's average; top \$11.80.
Cattle 11,000; calves 800; all weights and grades slaughter steers and heifers moderately active and steady.
Sheep 7,000; spring lambs mostly steady to 15 higher.

Portland Produce

Portland, Ore., July 16.—(AP)—Butter—Prints, A grade, 35c lb. in parchment wrappers; 40c in cartons; B grade, 38c in parchment wrappers, 39c in cartons.
Peas—Oregon No. 1, 8c lb.
Other produce unchanged.

Portland Wheat

Portland, Ore., July 16.—(AP)—Grain:
Wheat: Open High Low Close
Sept. 89 1/4 89 3/4 89 1/2 89 1/4
Cash grain: Oats No. 2-56 lb. white \$27.50 No. 1 flax \$1.91 1/2
Cash wheat (bid): soft white 84 1/2
Hard red winter: ordinary 80c; 11 pct. 84c; 12 pct. 93c; 13 pct. 95c; 14 pct. 98c
Hard white-baart: 12 pct. 90c
Today's car receipts: wheat 44; barley 2; flour 7; millfeed 3.

Chicago Wheat

Chicago, July 16.—(AP)—Wheat:
Open High Low Close
July 1.04 1.04 1.03 1.03 1/2
Sept. 1.05 1.05 1.04 1.04
Dec. 1.06 1.07 1.06 1.06 1/2

Wall St. Report

New York, July 16.—(AP)—The July rise in stock prices encountered profit selling resistance today, and leaders, generally closed fractions to around a

point lower. Turnover was around 600,000 shares.
Today's closing prices for 34 selected stocks follow:
Al. Chem. & Dye 162 1/2
Am. Can 88
A. T. & T. 156 1/2
Anaconda 28 1/2
Atch. T. & S. F. 29 1/2
Bendix Avia. 36 1/2
Beth. Steel 74 1/2
Caterpillar Tract 49
Chrysler 56
Curtiss-Wright 73 1/2
Douglas Aaft. 159
DuPont 33 1/2
Gen. Elec. 38 1/2
Gen. Foods 38 1/2
Gen. Mot. 38 1/2
Int. Harvest 55
Johns-Man. 66 1/2
Kennecott 38 1/2
Monty Ward 30 1/2
No. Ampr. Av'n 14 1/2
North Amer. 13 1/2
Penney (J. C.) 83 1/2
Penna. R. R. 24 1/2
Phillips Pet. 43 1/2
Radio 4 1/2
Sou. Pac. 12
Std. Brands 5 1/2
St. Oil Cal 23 1/2
St. Oil N. J. 43 1/2
Trans. Amer 4 1/2
Unicom Carb. 7 1/2
Unit. Aircraft 41 1/2
United Airline 10 1/2
U. S. Steel 57 1/2

San Francisco Butter

San Francisco, July 16.—(AP)—Butter—92 score, 36c; 91 score, 35c; 90 score, 34c; 89 score 32 1/2c.

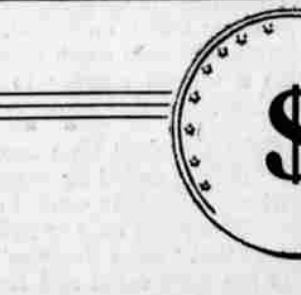
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